

New Hours at All Branches
Effective July 1, 2009

On July 1st, due to declining sales tax and property tax revenues, the Library will be cutting 20 additional staff positions (5 others were eliminated earlier), the supplies and services budget has been trimmed, the book and media budget cut, and the remaining staff will continue a 10% furlough, keeping all branches closed on Fridays. In all, \$1,272, 200 worth of cuts have been made for FY 2009-2010.

The reduced hours have been arranged regionally (see table 2). Because our borrowers asked, we have tried to ensure that there is another open branch fairly close if their nearest branch is closed on a particular day. Staff from the larger regionally branches will be going out to the smaller “satellite” branches in their immediate area to open them at the times shown.

If the State takes an additional 8% of the Library’s property tax to balance the State budget, or if sales tax and property tax fall still further, additional cuts may be necessary

Table 1 lists open hours by the day of the week.

Table 2 lists open hours by geographic area

Table 1

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Aptos	Closed	11-7	11-7	11-7	1-5	Closed	1-5
Boulder Creek	Closed	1-5	Closed	3-7	Closed	Closed	1-5
Branciforte	Closed	1-5	Closed	Closed	1-7	Closed	1-5
Capitola	Closed	Closed	11-7	Closed	11-7	Closed	1-5
Central	1-5	1-7	11-7	11-7	11-7	Closed	11-5
Felton	Closed	Closed	1-5	Closed	3-7	Closed	Closed
Garfield Park	Closed	2-6	2-6	2-6	Closed	Closed	Closed
La Selva Beach	Closed	Closed	1-5	Closed	1-5	Closed	Closed
Live Oak	1-5	11-7	1-5	11-7	1-5	Closed	Closed
Scotts Valley	Closed	1-5	11-7	11-7	11-7	Closed	1-5

Table 2

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
South County							
Aptos	Closed	11-7	11-7	11-7	1-5	Closed	1-5
La Selva	Closed	Closed	1-5	Closed	1-5	Closed	Closed
Mid-County							
Capitola	Closed	Closed	11-7	Closed	11-7	Closed	1-5
Live Oak	1-5	11-7	1-5	11-7	1-5	Closed	Closed
Santa Cruz							
Branciforte	Closed	1-5	Closed	Closed	1-7	Closed	1-5
Central	1-5	1-7	11-7	11-7	11-7	Closed	11-5
Garfield Park	Closed	2-6	2-6	2-6	Closed	Closed	Closed
North County							
Boulder Creek	Closed	1-5	Closed	3-7	Closed	Closed	1-5
Felton	Closed	Closed	1-5	Closed	3-7	Closed	Closed
Scotts Valley	Closed	1-5	11-7	11-7	11-7	Closed	1-5